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SECRETARY, BOARD OF OIL, GAS & MINING

# BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL, GAS AND MINING DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF UTAH

In the Matter of the Petition by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining for an Order:

- (1) Forfeiting to the Division all funds evidenced by certificates of deposit (#003525857) and (#003525790) in the amounts of \$30,000 and \$70,754, held by Bank of the West, Sandy, Utah for the Division as surety for the plugging and abandonment of the State 2-23 and State 2-43x wells;
- (2) Ordering the Bank of the West to deliver the amounts deposited and held in said accounts for the Division and Authorizing the Utah Attorney General to take any and all actions necessary to obtain the delivery of these funds
- (3) Authorizing the Division to use the funds to complete plugging and reclamation of the State 2-23 and State 2-43x wells and the lands affected by the wells:
- (4) Authorizing the Division to take other action necessary to recover from GENESIS PETROLEUM US INC. any and all costs associated with the plugging and reclamation of the State 2-23 and State 2-43x wells; and
- (5) Authorizing any other action the Board deems reasonable and appropriate.

## STIPULATION AND ORDER **EXTENDING TIME FOR** RESPONSE AND OTHER **FILINGS**

Docket No.: 2014-30 Cause No.: 264-04

## **STIPULATION**

The Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining ("**Division**") and The Bank of the West ("**Bank**") hereby stipulate as follows:

- 1. In order to facilitate efforts of the Division and the Bank to resolve the issues that relate to the claims asserted in this matter, the deadline for the Bank to file its Response to the Notice of Agency Action, and any deadlines for the filing of any motions, requests, exhibits or other pleadings by the Bank or the Division shall be extended until 20 days after the Division or the Bank gives written notice of cancellation of this Stipulation.
- 2. This Stipulation shall not require and the parties at this time do not request a continuance of the hearing of this matter currently scheduled for August 27, 2014, except in the event that the Bank hereafter files a request for a continuance, in which case the Division will not object to a reasonable continuance.
- 3. This Stipulation will not preclude the Division from filing its proposed exhibits in this matter or proceeding with any additional requirements as pertain to the NOAA as may be required to pursue the relief against all other parties.

Agreed to on this day of July, 2014.

BANK OF THE WEST

/s/ Marty Banks (with permission)

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**ORDER** 

The Board of Oil, Gas and Mining, ("Board") based on the foregoing Stipulation of

Counsel and for good cause appearing does hereby order

1. The deadline for the Bank of the West to file its Response to the Notice of Agency

Action, and any deadlines for the filing of motions, requests, exhibits or other pleadings by the

Bank or the Division shall be extended until 20 days after such time as the Division or the Bank

provides the Bank with written notice of the termination of the foregoing Stipulation. This

extension is without prejudice to either party to thereafter file a Response or other pleadings at a

later time.

2. The extension granted to the Bank of the West will not preclude the Division from

taking any action or proceed with pleadings required to resolve claims asserted that may not

affect the interests of the Bank.

3. This Stipulation shall not require a continuance of the hearing of this matter currently

scheduled for August 27, 2014, except if the event the Bank requests a continuance. In such an

event the Division will not object to a reasonable continuance of the hearing.

ENTERED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of July, 2014.

STATE OF UTAH

BOARD OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

Ruland J. Gill, Jr. Chairman

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## **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that I caused a true and correct copy of the forgoing STIPULATION

AND ORDER EXTENDING DEADLINES to be personally served, emailed or mailed first class mail, postage prepaid, the 3|5t day of July 2014, to:

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